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PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: Ulf Lanz for : POLYMERASE CHAIN REACTION APPARATUS. Enclosed are:

2 Sheet(s) of drawings, 15 pages of application (including title page), and the following Appendices : _____.

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

Assignment transmittal letter and Assignment of the invention to : _____.

Submission of Certified Priority Document, Copy of Certified Priority Document (103 13 898.6 dated March 27, 2003), Information Disclosure Statement, Copy of German Search Report, PTO Form-1449, 4 Cited References, and return post card.

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Claims as Filed	Col. 1	Col. 2
For	No. Filed	No. Extra
Basic Fee		
Total Claims	15-20	0
Indep. Claims	3-3	0
Multiple Dependent Claims Present		

*If the difference in col. 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in col. 2.

Small Entity	
Rate	Fee
	\$ 385
x\$9=	\$
x\$43=	\$
+\$145=	\$
Total	\$

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Rate	Fee
	\$ 770
x\$18=	\$
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